

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bayley were Hanna visitors on Wednesday

Mr. R. A. Morrison is spending a few days in Calgary this week.

Miss Edith Marr who has been visiting with her parents and other relatives for some months, left for Vancouver on Tuesday.

Mr. Ken Gulleckson motored to Calgary this week.

Spring must be here as the farmers seem to be more than busy flying around with all the new farm machinery.

A special Easter Service will be held in the United Church, Chinook, on Good Friday, March 30th at 7:30 in the evening when the Rev. Mr. Lapp of Oyen, will officiate.

Mrs. R. V. Lawrence and Mrs. W. Zawasky left Monday night for Vulcan, Alta. where they will visit with son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lee, and most important of all the new baby boy.

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Before men can recover faith in each other they must recover faith in God.

Any movement which sets out to build a neighborly world must start out with neighborliness in its own ranks.

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Registration forms have been mailed to every

family. Fill in your form as soon as received. It is very simple—only seven questions—and information is given below to help you complete the form accurately. Do it right away in the interests of your children, as cheques can only be mailed to those eligible families which have completed and returned the Registration Form.

If you do not receive a form through the mail, please ask for one at the nearest Post Office.

**QUESTION 1. PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS (LIKE THIS) the names of your children under 16. Write out the month of birth, then give day and year. Write name of place where each child was born. Complete each line by stating your relationship to child and if father and mother are applying, fill in both "relationship" columns.**

**QUESTION 2. Here the father and mother must both sign if both are at home. Then give the address to which cheques should be mailed. PRINT THIS IN BLOCK TYPE (LIKE THIS) under both signatures. The mother should not sign her husband's first name. She should sign her own first name, such as Mrs. Alice, Mary, Joan, etc.**

**QUESTION 3.** If only one person has signed under question 2, state the reason why the other signature cannot be given. Give details—don't say Father or Mother is "away"—state where and for how long.

**QUESTIONS 4, 5, 6 and 7** on the other side of the form must also be answered either "Yes" or "No". If the answer is "No" to questions 4, 5 or 6, state details giving name of child, or children concerned. In the case of No. 5, if you have any children under 16 not living with you, list their names, give the reason and the complete address as to where they can be visited. If the answer to No. 7 is "Yes", give the details required.

**INCOME TAX:** So that nobody will benefit from both Family Allowances and a full income tax deduction for their children, the income tax deductions for children will be reduced by the amount received from Family Allowances. Parents, therefore, have the choice of claiming—or not claiming—Family Allowances. Those uncertain as to whether or not they will benefit are advised to apply for the Family Allowance.



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## Transportation In Canada

THE DEVELOPMENT OF FACILITIES for transportation is a vital part of national building. This is particularly true in the case of a country such as Canada, where distances are great and large sections of the country are far removed from the sea coast. Our history shows that the opening up of roads, railways, water routes and air lines has been closely associated with our economic and social progress. The first settlements in Canada were along the banks of lakes and rivers, where boats could be used for travel between these communities and the outside world. Later roads were built, leading to the opening up of much new territory. In time, railroads were constructed linking the Dominion from coast to coast, and the story of the building of these great transcontinental railway systems is among the most dramatic in Canadian history. Their construction is closely connected with the settling of the Western provinces, and in recent years we have seen the airplane play a similar part in bringing the far north into contact with the rest of Canada.

### West Brought Closer To Sea

It is estimated that Canadian railways now have 42,400 miles of track, which places them among the greatest transportation systems of the present day. Only the United States and Russia have more mileage under operation. In addition to the building of an extensive system of canals has made possible an inland waterway of nearly 2,000 miles. This together with the building of the Hudson's Bay Railroad and the development of the port of Churchill has brought the Prairie Provinces much closer to the sea, and has provided a means of cheap transportation between Western Canada and British and foreign markets. Added to all this is Canada's air freight business which is acknowledged to be the greatest organization of its kind in the world. The Dominion is equally to the fore in other branches of air travel, as was indicated by her inclusion as one of the "Big Seven" at the recent air conference in Chicago.

### Serves Nation In Time Of War

Canada's transportation systems have made a notable contribution to the nation's war effort. Railways have carried record loads of war materials and service personnel and have at the same time maintained adequate service to the civilian population both in the distribution of goods, and the carrying of passengers. All this has been accomplished in spite of wartime shortages of labour and equipment. An indication of the increased volume of business with which the railways have dealt during the war is given in statistics which show that car loadings increased by 59 per cent between 1939 and 1943, while 90 per cent more passengers were carried during the same period. The demands on other forms of travel also increased, there being 37 per cent more travellers on bus lines, and 90 per cent more air passengers in the years following the outbreak of war. It is clear that transportation is an integral part of our national life and it will doubt continue as such when Canada goes forward to greater expansion in the years to come.

## HOW YOU CAN GET QUICK RELIEF FROM SORE, PAINFUL PILES

Most people seem to think the only way to get relief from their sore, painful piles is by local treatment. Local treatment may give temporary relief from the itching but you can easily see why such treatment will not correct the cause of your piles.

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### Need Veterinarians

Saskatchewan Without Adequate Medical Service For Livestock

One million cattle and five million pigs in Saskatchewan are without adequate medical services.

That this is so and that the government should do something about it, legality and financially, Provincial Agricultural Minister L. P. McIntosh told the legislature. He said there were only 35 veterinarians in the province, and that their average age was 60 years.

### New Service

A new casualty employment service said to be the first of its kind in Canada will be opened at the veterans affairs office in Montreal. Twelve specially trained men, all amputees of the First World War, will interview men handicapped by the loss of limbs, and find them suitable employment.

More than 1,800 families have been recorded in China since 180 B.C. The famine of 1877-78 claimed 9,500,000 lives.

## Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—Will you kindly give me the dates when canning sugar may be purchased.

A.—The canning sugar is purchased with preserves coupons, each coupon being good for half a pound of canning sugar. Two preserves coupons may be used March 15, eight more coupons become valid on the 17th of May and the other ten will be good on and after July 15. Trade ration book holder is entitled to 10 pounds of canning sugar.

Q.—I would like to obtain information regarding the ceiling price of a car I have for sale. Where may such information be obtained?

A.—You may obtain the above information from your nearest War-time Prices and Trade Board office.

Q.—I have the opportunity to sell my old tractor. I will be making an application with the rationing officer of farm machinery for a new tractor and would like to know if I can dispose of my old one.

A.—Farmers who dispose of used farm machinery this spring without approval of the rationing officer are warned that their application for new equipment will not be considered.

Q.—How many meals must one serve to members of the armed forces before application may be made for ration coupons?

A.—Nine meals. Please note that a 48-hour leave entitles you to a maximum of six meals only.

Q.—When do the regular sugar coupons become valid?

A.—The sugar coupons become good on the third Thursday of every month.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your rationing, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest War-time Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

## SMILE AWHILE

When a man breaks a date, he usually has to wait, when a girl breaks a date she usually has two.

"Your leg is swollen," admitted the doctor, "but I wouldn't worry about it."

"Well, if your leg was swollen, I wouldn't worry about it either."

Bill—"What about the \$4 you owe me?"

Tom—"It's your birthday on Friday. I'll bring it to you with my congratulations."

Bill—"You just bring the money and I'll congratulate myself."

"Has anybody ever been lost in crossing here?" asked a timid woman, who had hired a boatman to ferry her across a river.

"No'm," was the reply. "Mah boatman was drowed in the river last week, but we found him the next day."

Colored Maid (to friend on street car)—"Well, I reckon the war's gettin' nighly oval. I was a hour 'n' a half late this mornin' an' the lady she done fire me."

The family and their guest had just seated themselves at the table.

"Susie," said the mother, "why didn't you put a knife and fork at Mr. McKlunk's place?"

"He don't need any, mother," replied Susie. "You said he eats like a horse."

Husband—I've told you before that it is economically unsound to spend your money before you get it.

Wife—I don't know. If you don't get it—at least you've got something for your money.

Little Brother: "You'll be an old maid if you take the last piece of cake."

Little Sister (aged six): "Oh, that's all right. I've been one all my life."

Magistrated Clerk: "Why haven't you paid this fine?"

Man: "When I had the money to pay my wife wanted a new hat."

Clerk: "And you gave her the money for the new hat?"

Man: "Yes, I thought you would be more lenient than she would be if I refused."

An enthusiastic golfer came home to his dinner after a game. During the meal his wife said: "Willie tells me he had golf for this morning."

"There now!" exclaimed Willie's father. "I thought I'd seen that had before."

Salt is formed of sodium, a very active metal, and chlorine, a very poisonous gas.

## Black Market

Selfish Motives Behind Those Who Desire To Get More Than Their Share

It takes two to make a black market—a buyer and a seller. Both are equally guilty and both are actuated by the most selfish of motives—the desire to make money or to get more than a fair share of some scarce commodity. It blinds them to the fact that they are engaged in destroying the economic structure of their own country and endangering their own security.

You can't have a little inflation. Once you start to feed it, it grows until it is beyond control. Selling and buying above the legal price ceilings, overbuying and hoarding of scarce commodities, obtaining rationed goods without coupons—all these feed inflation.—Consumers' News.

## Bigger And Better

Sleeper Accommodation Planned For T.C.A. Planes After The War

The planes that will be used in Canada after the war for the main transcontinental service will be over four times the size of the present T.C.A. planes, John T. Dymond, superintendent of engineering, T.C.A. told members of the Lions Club in Winnipeg.

Weighing almost 80,000 pounds against the present 20,000, they will be driven by four engines, instead of two, have a maximum cruising speed of over 300 m.p.h., carry 44 passengers, and have sleeper accommodations, he said.

It might be safely said, he continued, that air lines will not be available within a year, but how soon after that depends upon the progress of the war.

## Discovers Home Skin Remedy

This clean stainless antiseptic known all over Canada as Moore's Rheumal Oil, is such a fine healing agent that even the most stubborn and inflammatory skin eruptions are often relieved in a few days. It is so antiseptic and penetrating that it is good for all kinds of skin standing have yielded to its influence. It is so gentle and soothing that it soothes everywhere to help rid you of your skin troubles—satisfaction or money back.

## SELECTED RECIPES

### MARCH MEMORANDA

We suspect the mad March haven't mad trying to predict the weather. One minute it is spring and the sun is shining bright and beautiful. Then a flurry of snow makes you reach for your scarf and mittens. The next day when the sun blows wild it is good to have home a big bowl of soup. So put Corn and Potato Chowder on your March menu.

Serve it with a bowl of hot over-popped rice. Mmm—it's wonderful!

Corn and Potato Chowder

1/2 pound diced salt pork  
1/2 cup finely chopped onion  
1 cup diced potatoes  
1 cup boiling water  
2 cups whole kernel corn (1 No. 2 can)

2 cups milk  
2 tablespoons flour  
2 teaspoons salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper

2 tablespoons minced parsley  
1 cup over-popped rice cereal

Cook salt pork in frying pan until brown and crisp. Lift from fat and drain. Cook onions in salt pork fat until tender and slightly browned. Drain onions from fat and put into soup kettle, add potatoes and water; cover and cook ten minutes. Add corn and milk. Make smooth paste of one tablespoon of the salt pork fat and flour; stir into soup. Continue cooking about ten minutes. Add seasonings and parsley and serve in warmed bowls.

Brown over-popped rice in one tablespoon of the salt pork fat. Drain well; combine with crisp salt pork cubes and serve in separate bowl with Chowder.

### Egg Cutlets

2 tablespoons finely chopped onion  
2 tablespoons finely chopped green pepper

1 1/2 cups milk  
1/2 cup flour  
3 cups oven-popped rice cereal  
4 tablespoons melted fat or drippings

1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce

8 hard cooked eggs, chopped  
2 eggs, slightly beaten

Beat onions and green pepper in milk. Blend flour with fat; stir into hot milk mixture. Add seasonings and cook slowly, stirring constantly until smooth and thick. Remove from heat; fold in hard-cooked eggs. Spread about 1/4-inch thick in shallow greased pan; chill until firm. Cut into squares; mold into cutlet shapes. Roll over-popped rice into fine crumbs. Dip each cutlet in egg, roll in over-popped rice crumbs. Fry in hot fat, 1/2-inch deep, until browned, turning only once. Serve very hot.

Field: Six servings (12 2 1/2-inch cutlets).

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## GARDEN NOTES

### Enormous Yields

It is most amazing that a large amount of vegetables a plot a few yards square can produce. Handled properly, a piece of ground 12 feet wide and 25 feet long should yield practically all the vegetables, except narrow and early stuff like lettuce, radish and carrots, about 15 inches for beets and beans, and 18 inches for corn and tomatoes. To save room and induce early and clean fruits, the latter should be stalked with all other branches pinched off.

Space can be saved by alternating early vegetables like radish, spinach and lettuce with later maturing sorts like beets, carrots and onions. By the time the second group really require all room the first will have been removed and eaten.

### Prepare Thoroughly

In these small, intensive vegetable gardens, it is essential to prepare the ground thoroughly in advance, to dig it well and get out all twigs and other weeds before the vegetables are planted. It is far more difficult to get out big weeds and grass roots after the vegetables are planted than before.

Another important point is thinning. Beets, carrots, lettuce, radish and all small seed vegetables should be thinned once so that those plants left can develop quickly and without crowding or checking. An inch apart will do for beets and carrots and seed onions, and then when more room is necessary one can take out every other plant and use for the table. Carrots and beets an inch in diameter make excellent eating.

### About the Home

A good rule in laying out grounds about any home is to break straight lines wherever possible. This means wavy edges of perennial borders rather than straight ones, straight ones, clumps of shrubbery and trees rather than rows, curved paths and drives wavy rather than the other kind. It also means, in screening, clumps of shrubbery at the corners of all buildings, and at least here and there along foundation lines, fences and walls—even attractive ones—partly screened, and the other kind completely hidden by vines, trees and shrubs.

But one can go too far in this direction. One must provide a reason for a curve if a real one is lacking. Shrubby trees are planted to give this reason. Because they hide the view ahead they also add mystery to every turn and make even a small garden look quite spacious.

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## About Propaganda

How Britain Manages To Get Along With Few Press Agents

Britain somehow manages to huddle along with only 1,187 public relations men (press agents) on the Government payroll. The British Treasury has only one.

Elmer Davis has more than 5,400 embittered press agents on O.W.I. alone and every department and bureau, including the 150 "alphabeticals", has from one to a dozen or so toooting its horn.

Our respect for the subtlety and power of "British propaganda" grows as we think of that comparison—maybe there isn't much British propaganda after all.

Perhaps the British rely upon their detractors to build them up. It often works out that way on the "every knock is a boost" principle.—Chicago Daily News.

## About Relaxing



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— By —

H. WILLIAM EGGER

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Sonya Carlson ran the Last Chance Diner, where hungry and sleepy truckers who had split their gears for two weary miles up Lampshade Mountain stopped for needed reinforcement before grinding up the steep six miles that wound off above the Last Chance. It was not an uncommon thing, driving past, to see twenty-two metal monsters lining the highway near the diner, for Sonya was a favorite of the truckmen.

She was a sturdy blond girl whose father, old Sven Carlson, had been a pusher for the Trans-Rocky Transportation Company. Had been, until he'd gone down a two-hundred-foot embankment one foggy night. Sonya used the money the drivers contributed to buy the Last Chance. Her pies were famous, and two huge pots of coffee always stood on the gas plate. One, in which steel nails could have been floated, was for truckers. The other, less ink, was meant—*as Sonya put it*—"for civilized people".

The Last Chance was in a lonely spot. Many people asked Sonya if she was not afraid of being held up. One tramp thought it was a good idea, and did get thirty dollars at the point of an uncertain revolver. But the "truckers' teletype" carried the story and the tramp was picked up 70 miles down the line. When he was delivered to the police for medical treatment he granted the protection of the iron bars with thankfulness. No one ever held up the Last Chance again. Sonya had her health, her beauty, her friends, and a well-paying business. She should have been happy, but she wasn't. Sonya was in love.

No one would have believed it. Sonya treated all the drivers with the same easy friendliness. She helped them compose their love letters, saw to it that they wrote to their mothers, and told them all they

were crazy to be truckers. But Sonya thought differently about Nels Borden, the six-foot viking who drove a roaring 22-ton Diesel. Nels was friendly but as shy as a schoolboy. Sonya had never said more than "Hello" and "What'll it be?" to Nels, and though she knew she would never marry a trucker, she longed for Nels' company.

Sonya was scraping the hamburger grill when she heard the Diesel coming up the slope. She looked up as Nels entered.

"Hello." He ordered hot roast beef, apple pie and coffee, rolled a cigarette and then for a wonder, spoke: "I'd think you'd be afraid of fire here, with all that hot grease near those gas jets. Be an awful mess, Miss Carlson, if there wasn't anybody around."

"Yes, I guess it would. More coffee?"

Nels paid and left, his huge headlights cutting a wide swath through the darkness. Sonya, at the window, watched the red, green, and amber marker lights of the truck fading into the night. Suddenly she snapped her fingers, turned, and hurried to the rear of the diner.

Nels Borden sat behind the grumbling motor of the Diesel and wished that he knew how to talk to girls like Sonya. Suddenly he caught a glimpse of a red glare in his rear view mirror. He set the hand throttle and, keeping one hand on the wheel of the creeping truck, stepped out on the running board and looked back.

"Sure enough! A fire at the Last Chance! Nels got back in the truck and split gears again for new speed. Two hundred feet ahead he turned on a wide ledge which served as a lookout spot for tourists, and slipped the gears into third speed. He couldn't go too fast, or the heavy truck would get away from him and roar down the mountain to destruction.

The gears whined as the truck picked up speed, and ear-shattering explosions blasted from the exhaust pipe. Every five hundred feet or so Nels tapped the brake pedal, and his biased front cylinder. The muscles stood out on his powerful forearms as he negotiated the bends in the road.

Almost before the truck had stopped in front of the Last Chance, Nels had leaped from the cab with a fire extinguisher in his hand. He stopped with his mouth hanging open as Sonya, strolling casually from the rear of the diner, looked at the extinguisher.

"Sorry, we don't fill those here. Or did you forget something?"

"Why... why, I guess I had fires on my mind tonight. I didn't realize you were just burning those greasy papers out back." Then Nels began to get angry. Wrath spread slowly through his Nordic stolidity, but it spread thoroughly.

"Yes? That heck do you mean, anyway? Scaring a man half out of his wits, getting his schedule all messed up, and... and... aw, nuts!" He threw the extinguisher to the ground in fury.

"Well, I must say! Who ever asked you to come back and bawl me out? Can't I even burn paper in the barrel?" Sonya glared at him.

Nels wilted. "Well, my goah, Sonya! How do you think I feel, worrying about you all alone on this mountain at all hours of the night?" Nels stopped, embarrassed at his outburst.

"Yes? Well, how do you think I feel about you—pushing that man-killer all over the mountains? You'll end up like my dad—killed because some small-town grower thought his cannon bells on time!"

Nels spoke before he thought, which in this case was a good thing. "That won't happen to me. I'm starting in the office next week as traffic manager. And if you were smart you'd quit running this place and..." Nels stopped, the merciful Nels, concealing the red flush on his face.

"Yes?"

"Well," said Nels defensively, "you

could do worse than a traffic manager!"

"Yes, I suppose I could, if this... this outburst is a proposal. Oh, Nels!"

Marty Summers, leaning over the wheel of his straining truck, whistled as his headlights picked out the figures of Nels Borden and Sonya Carlson standing closely linked in the driveway of the Last Chance.

## Novel Plan

Britain Will Bid For Trade On Five Continents

Road convoys of 50 to 60 special coaches—travelling shop windows—will start out from Britain this autumn in a five-continent campaign to restore British markets lost during the war.

The project of Trade Expeditions (Ltd.) is designed to help smaller manufacturers who cannot afford to maintain their own selling organizations abroad.

Each caravan will be manned by 150 ex-servicemen whose main job will be to demonstrate samples. Exhibitions and trade fairs will be held in principal centers. The first convoys are to be sent to South Africa and South America.

## This Week's Pattern



By ANNE ADAMS

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## MAY BE PERMANENT

Air raid precautions (ARP) likely will become a permanent peacetime institution in Britain. "The question is one which the Cabinet is considering with other postwar plans such as conscription. No decision has been reached but most members of the government are believed to favor its continuation.

## A Valued Souvenir

Mayor Of French Town Uses Dirk For Paper Knife

Emile Aubert, mayor of the picture postcard town of Barcelonnette, is using a Scot's dirk for a paper knife. Barcelonnette, a tiny town of steep-roofed houses cuddled together in an Alpine valley, was a centre of Maquis resistance. Aubert was the local Maquis chief and he was given the dirk as a souvenir by an officer of a Highland regiment who parachuted down near Barcelonnette on June 7, 1943.

Aubert first heard of the Scotsman when a Maquis scout reported that he had landed in the hills about 14 miles from Barcelonnette and was asking for an escort to Maquis headquarters. One of the local gendarmes who was a Maquis and who used his uniform as a safe conduct pass, was sent after the parachutist. A few hours later the gendarme returned to say it was impossible to bring the officer into town. "He is wearing a dress like a woman," reported the gendarme. "I could never get him by the German patrols." So the mayor sent out civilian clothes to the officer.

For two months the Scot, who is known as "Major Edgar," fought with the Maquis. He taught the veteran mountaineers and saboteurs the latest wrinkles in guerrilla warfare and he led them in the bitter fighting along the Ubaye river valley which ended in the liberation of the important centre of Larache. He always fought in the Highland uniform and his gay tartan became a battle flag for the Frenchman. When he left he gave the mayor his dirk.

## Live To Good Age

Only One Of Canada's Prime Ministers Died Under Seventy

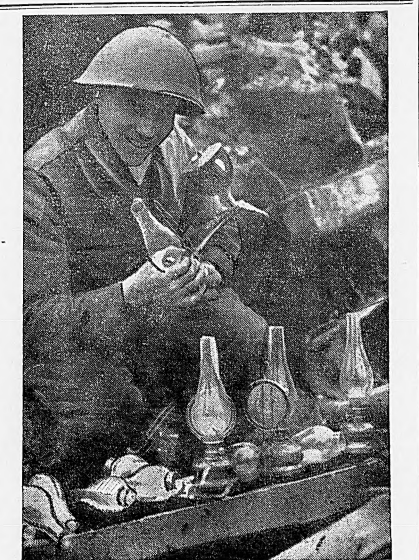
The Manchester Guardian points out that of the 29 British Prime Ministers who have held office since 1793, only seven failed to reach 70.

Canadian Prime Ministers have had a remarkable record. Of those still living who had held that office, Mr. King is 70, Viscount Bennett is 74 and Mr. Meighen is 70. Of the eight who have passed away, only one, Sir John Thompson, who died suddenly in England at 50, failed to reach the three score and ten. Sir Charles Tupper lived to be 94; Sir Mackenzie Bowell, nearly 91; Sir Robert Borden, 82; Sir Wilfrid Laurier, 77; Sir John A. Macdonald, 76; Sir J. Abbott, 72, and Hon. Alexander MacKenzie, 70—Toronto Star.

If the wife of a Turkoman asks his permission to go out, and he says "go" without adding "come back again!", they are divorced.

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LAMPS OF VICTORY—When the First Canadian Army captured the German town of Uden, this cache of lamps was found in good condition and was immediately put into use by the Canucks. L-Bdr. Carpon, of Creelman, Sask., is here putting them into working order.

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## Here a CWAC There a CWAC



## OVERSEAS CLUB—

The Ukrainian-Canadian Services Club in London owes a lot to Sgt. Helen Kozicky, C.W.A.C., whose home is in Calgary, Alta. Back in 1943 in Manchester a group of service people of Ukrainian origin got together and formed a club of their own. It was such a success that Sgt. Kozicky, who is stationed at C.M.H.Q. in London was asked to organize a club there. Now there are over 1700 members on the club register although at present the attendance is kept up largely by men on leave from hospitals. Sgt. Kozicky visits Canadian hospitals in England every other week and invites the wounded to make the Canadian-Ukrainian Club their home whenever they are in London. Members of the C.W.A.C. assist in entertainment programs. There is no shortage of girls at the dances even though there are only two CWACs of Ukrainian extraction, and a common sight on a Saturday night is alternate European folk dances and a session of jive.

## SUBTLE—

Room inspections were the bane of her life to a young CWAC in Military District No. 12. The barrack officer always managed to find something wrong with her room. Finally in desperation the bright young thing made a large sign, placed it in a conspicuous spot and displayed the following words on it: "The eye that is trained to see defects, misses much of the beauty that life reflects." She made no comment on how it worked!

## ENLIST—

Several girls, mainly from rural Saskatchewan, enlisted in the C.W.A.C. in Regina recently. Included among them were: Lillian Caron, Wakaw; Olive Tedrick, Vanguard; Eva Wagner, Markinch; Mary Lantz, Regina; Geneva Coleshaw, North Battleford; Gunnell Gray, Hoosier; Jona Egilson, Calder; Phyllis Allan, Tisdale.

## PROMOTED—

Pte. Anne Elizabeth Wheatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheatley, Semans, Sask., was recently promoted to the rank of corporal at Fort Osborne Barracks, Winnipeg. Cpl. Wheatley was employed in Regina prior to her enlistment in the C.W.A.C. there in February of 1943. She was transferred to Winnipeg in January, 1944 as a typist in the reception centre.

## APPOINTED—

Trained and experienced in the field of social work, 2nd-Lieut. Helen Ruth DeMarsh, Valparaiso, Sask., has been appointed to social service officer in the Canadian Women's Army Corps. Lt. DeMarsh attended Brandon College, Brandon, Man., and was active in the debating club, historical society and the college newspaper there. Following a two year course in social work at the University of Toronto, she was employed by the Children's Aid Society and was working there when she enlisted in December 1944. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeMarsh, reside at Valparaiso.

The Australian Koola bear never drinks, but obtains moisture from the young eucalyptus leaves on which he lives. 2612

## A Family Festival

Would Do Away With Mother's Day And Father's Day And The Rest

Mr. Roosevelt does not like "days", and would like to see Mother's Day, and Father's Day, and all the other various days lumped together as one great day, and left at that. We are ready to go farther: let the great Family Day which Mrs. Roosevelt recommends be celebrated on December 25; we shall thereby get rid of all these factitious celebrations and restore some of the lustre to Christmas, which is growing more and more to be a spending orgy, and not a family festival. — Peterborough Examiner.

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Fourteen Canadians, members of the combined Canadian United States Special Service Force, have received United States awards for gallantry in action in Italy and France.

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## War Veterans Insurance NOW AVAILABLE

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### WHAT ARE THE SPECIAL FEATURES OF WAR VETERANS INSURANCE?

One of the principal features of War Veterans Insurance is that, with very few exceptions, it is available at low cost, without medical examination. No extra premiums are charged where the veteran's occupation is unusually hazardous—such as, mining, construction, commercial flying, etc.—and, in addition, premiums are waived in the event of total disability. There is no extra cost for this waiver of premiums.

### WHO MAY APPLY FOR WAR VETERANS INSURANCE?

Any ex-service man or woman is eligible. In addition, widows or widowers of veterans may apply for the insurance on themselves if the veterans were not insured under the Act. Merchant Navy personnel are eligible also.

### WHAT TYPES OF INSURANCE ARE AVAILABLE?

The plans of insurance available are 10 Payment Life, 15 Payment Life, 20 Payment Life, Life Paid-up at 65 and Life Paid-up at 85; that is, premiums may be paid for 10, 15 or 20 years or until age 65 or 85 respectively. The longer the term of payment the smaller the premium required. Term and Endowment policies are not issued. The insurance is of the non-participating type, that is, no dividends are paid.

### WHAT AMOUNTS OF INSURANCE ARE PROVIDED FOR?

Policies may be applied for in amounts ranging from \$500 to \$10,000. The amount of the policy is payable only in the event of the death of the insured.

### HOW ARE PREMIUMS PAID?

At the option of the veteran, premiums may be paid monthly, quarterly, half-yearly, or annually. There is no additional cost to the veteran for paying premiums on a monthly basis.

### IS THERE ANY CASH SURRENDER VALUE?

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### EXAMPLES OF MONTHLY PREMIUMS PER \$1,000 INSURANCE

AGE	Payable for			Payable till age 65	Payable till age 85
	10 years	15 years	20 years		
20	\$2.89	\$2.12	1.93	1.39	1.30
25	3.18	2.34	2.15	1.64	1.51
30	3.53	2.91	2.42	1.98	1.78
35	3.93	3.73	3.16	3.16	2.59
45	4.98		4.40	6.45	4.03
55	6.45	5.01			

NOTE: If it is desired to pay the premium annually, multiply the above rates by 12. There is no additional cost for taking advantage of the monthly payment plan.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the nearest office of the Department of Veterans Affairs or by writing direct to the Superintendent of Veterans Insurance, Department of Veterans Affairs, Ottawa.

Services of a trained counsellor are available for individual interview with each veteran who wishes information concerning this insurance.

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New Insurance Books for the fiscal year 1945-46 will be exchanged by the Local Employment and Selective Service Office in your area for expired Insurance Books upon completion of the second last page in the expired books.

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